IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) |
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| Takashi Ikemoto et al. |) Group Art Unit: 1795 |
| Application No.: 10/584,306 |) Examiner: Cullen, Sean P. |
| Filed: June 23, 2006 |)) |
| For: MICROPOROUS MEMBRANE MADE FROM POLYOLEFIN |) Confirmation No.: 9018) |
| Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | |
| Sir: | |

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of September 22, 2010. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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